

You read on this page yesterday what may well be the final chapter of the story of Ozark's ill-fated REA generating plant. But before you attempt to write a tragic interpretation on the future of all public power let us examine the facts in the Ozark case.

Northwest Arkansas had three successful local REA co-operatives which built distribution lines with public funds, bought power from private companies and retailed it to the farmers of that area. It was a setup which promoted the REA purpose for which the Rural Electrification Administration was created.

But prowling across the landscape was a new and hungry federal agency, the Southwestern Power Administration, ambitious with plans but devoid of appropriations. SPA sought money of the congress in order to build a public-power generating plant. Congress specifically refused.

Then the SPA boys went to the three successful northwest Arkansas REA co-ops and promoted an ingenious plan. The "locals" would ask their parent REA body in Washington for a 10-million-dollar loan to build a generating plant at Ozark, Ark.; as soon as the plant was built SPA guaranteed to take it off REA's hands — first by contracting for all of its electricity, later exercising an option to buy the plant outright.

Not only was this entire scheme a flagrant violation of law and good government — attempting to do by indirectness what the congress had specifically forbidden SPA — but it also damaged the existing private power companies which had been supplying the REA co-ops all along. Naturally the authority to throw 10 millions of federal money into such a wildcat venture was challenged in the courts — and yesterday the Arkansas Supreme Court wrote the final chapter, canceling the Ozark generating station.

This is not an issue as between public and private power. I am writing my piece in a city which owns and operates its own electric plant, as an editor who has defended public power more times than he has attacked it. But the people are entitled to know that large and expensive projects undertaken with public money are duly planned and approved by their representatives.

Here in Hope it would be startling news indeed if we should learn that our municipal plant had been greatly enlarged, or reduced, or sold without the knowledge of the municipal government. Yet that is precisely what was proposed in the case of the Ozark generating plant. Despite the specific prohibition of the congress against this project 10 million dollars was extracted from the national REA treasury, not to build additional REA distribution lines, but to set up a generating plant for an entirely different agency — SPA.

No public-private-power issue can ever be as important as the faithful observance of the democratic processes of government.

Under these processes REA has grown great. And if SPA can't attract similar strength on its own merit it will only succeed in damaging the reputation of all public power projects as it goes around the country trying to barge in on ventures which have been honestly and openly established.

This is the year to apply fertilizer to the pasture, meadow and other feed crops advised Orville Childs of Southern State College, Magnolia, Mr. Childs was speaking to dairymen in particular at the Monday night Farm Bureau meeting in the county courtroom.

The dairy farmer is comparatively better off now than a year ago. In 1950-1951, beef was up to 250 per cent; cotton 235, while milk was less than 200. The dairy industry is now about where it was during the period 1935 to 1939. We have been in a very favorable market area for milk in Southwest Arkansas compared to the United States as a whole.

All farmers should truly check what he is spending his money for in 1953. The placing of ammonium nitrate on our soil grasses in ample amounts offers one of our great opportunities at this time. Mr. Childs stated that every dairymen should produce his pasture, and roughage so that every cow could have all the quality hay she would consume.

It was stressed to the group to raise their own cows. Data presented showed that only the real producers would pay. The kind of cows to produce is the ones that will produce the kind of milk the market wants. If the market wants 4 per cent milk produce 4 per cent milk to sell on that market.

Lee Norton, living north of Hope, presided at the meeting in the absence of Mr. Purdie. The next meeting will be March 23 in the county courtroom with irrigation as the subject for discussion.

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PICKED UP — Louis Albert Sturgis, left, sits handcuffed in a jail cell after being picked up with his girl friend Virginia Mae Isler, in connection with a double murder and \$48,000 bank robbery in Kansas City, Kansas. — NEA Telephoto

Insists Farm Support Must Be Sound Plan

By JOE HALL
WASHINGTON, (AP) — Chairman Aiken (R-Vt.) of the Senate Agriculture Committee said today the public will demand an end of farm price support programs unless they are sound and realistic.

"If we're going to continue a price support program in this country, it's got to be a sound program," Aiken told an interviewer. "Otherwise the country will rise up against it as it did the potato support program."

Aiken said also that he hoped the new Republican administration in the Agriculture Department would "start with a clean slate" and get rid of ideas criticized as "unrealistic" at a session of his committee yesterday.

John H. Davis, president of the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) and one of two top Agriculture Department officials who testified, said the new officials were trying to begin with a clean slate.

One of their first moves, he said, was to ask the General Accounting Continued on Page Two

Finds Stockmen Feel Ike on Stability Track

(Editor's Note: A drop in cattle prices has been a major factor in a general farm price decline which has touched off political reverberations in the Eisenhower administration. Associated Press Writer Don Whitehead has been assigned to survey the meat industry, from growers to packers, to find out what it thinks of the situation. Whitehead, a Pulitzer Prize winner, is retracing the route he followed 19 months ago when high beef prices were prompting loud complaints from consumers. This is the first of several stories.)

By DON WHITEHEAD
FT. WORTH, Tex. (AP) — The nation's cattlemen are taking a price-beating today, but their heads Continued on Page Two

H. P. Lauterbach, 82, Succumbs Here Monday

H. P. Lauterbach, aged 82, died Monday in a local rest home. He is survived by four sons, Claud, James, Carl and Harry Lauterbach, all of Hope, a daughter, Mrs. Edgar Tyler of Columbus and a sister, Mrs. Annie Blankenburg. Funeral services were to be held at 4 p.m. Tuesday at Herndon-Cornelius Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Virgil Keeley. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

C. W. Herzog, 86, Dies at Home Near Prescott

Charles William Herzog, aged 86, died Monday at his home near Prescott. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Gladys Herzog. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Hickory Grove Church of Christ. Burial will be at Pleasant Ridge in Nevada County.

Ethel Merman, Just a Big Brassy Girl, Has Never Been in a Stage Show That Flopped

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) — To get in to see her, the doorman had to phone upstairs.

State Tax Board Sought by Cherry; Funds Again Refused Game and Fish Commission

Press Admitted to Vice Trial

By JAY BREEN
NEW YORK (UP) The press and public were admitted to the Jelke vice trial today at the beginning of the defense's case. Judge Francis L. Valente had closed the courtroom for the duration of prosecution testimony.

Lawyers for the prosecution and defense conferred in Valente's chambers for 3 minutes and then the trial proceeded. Minor Jelke, heir to an oleomargarine fortune, is on trial on charges of compulsory prostitution. When the courtroom doors opened this morning, reporters and about 50 spectators entered. Guards made no attempt to stop them.

Trapped Tank Unit Fights Its Way Out

By STAN CARTER
SEOUL (AP) Allied tank and infantry raiders, trapped and virtually surrounded by a Chinese Red ambush, blasted their way back to U. N. lines on the Korean Western Front early today after a bitter, five-hour fight.

The confused, heavy fighting thundered until shortly before dawn. The U. S. Eighth Army reported the Allied raiding team killed an estimated 60 Communists and wounded at least 40 more than half of the Red force.

The Eighth Army said the fight, which began southeast of Panmunjom, was the most savage of several skirmishes that crackled along the freezing, 155-mile battle-front.

Night-flying Allied bombers hammered new aerial blows against Communist targets before dawn.

B-26 pilots said they destroyed 43 Red vehicles and two locomotives. The bombers also pounded Communist front-line positions.

Eleven B-29 Superforts from Okinawa pummeled a 100-acre Red target five miles south of Wonsan on the Northeastern Coast, and the Kowan rail yard 2 miles north-west of Wonsan.

In the bloody Western Front battle, up to 175 Chinese in quilted uniforms surrounded the Allied raiding party shortly after it had occupied an outpost. The Allied raiders included about 40 foot soldiers and an undisclosed number of tanks.

Withering Communist mortar and machine-gun fire pinned down the infantry and disabled two tanks.

A few hours before dawn the raiders broke through the circle of Chinese and smashed their way back to their own lines, bringing one disabled tank with them. The other was recovered later.

Also on the Western Front, 40 to 60 Communists attacked an Allied outpost north of "The Hook." They forced U. N. units to withdraw after 45 minutes of close-range fighting.

U. N. troops also withdrew temporarily from an advance position southeast of Pyonggang on the Central Front after a 20 to 30-man Communist grenade attack. An Allied counterattack threw the Reds back shortly after.

Eighth Army soldiers also beat off 30-50 man Red jabs at two small positions near the Pukhan River on the Central Front.

The Eighth Army announced 1,740 Communists were killed, wounded or captured in the week of Feb. 15-21.

Eisenhower to Georgia for Golf

WASHINGTON, (UP) — The White House announced today that President Eisenhower will fly to Augusta, Ga., Thursday afternoon for a weekend of golf.

Dulles Can See Nothing Ahead to Bring Cutback in Foreign Aid Spending

'Voice' Affairs Taken Over by Temple U. Chief

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Robert L. Johnson, 50-year-old president of Temple University, today was named acting chief of the government's overseas information service.

The proposed amendment, if acceptable to the General Assembly, will be placed on the ballot at the next general election.

The proposed board, with its members serving staggered 6-year terms — would be appointed by the governor with consent of the Senate.

Corresponding roughly to the defunct State Tax Commission, the board would have the power to assess at market value all property used by public utilities "or such other property authorized to be taxed by cities, counties and school districts at the direction of the General Assembly. Taxes collected on the assessed value of all public utilities would be allotted to the cities, counties and schools.

The board also would be charged with making certain that all taxable property is assessed, and will have the power to assess property when the county tax assessor fails to do so.

The state would be prohibited from levying a real property tax, just as it is now, and that power would be delegated solely to the cities, counties and school districts.

LITTLE ROCK (AP) A proposed 1.6 million-dollar yearly appropriation for the Game and Fish Commission was defeated for the second time in the House today.

Opponents of the bill said they would bring in a smaller proposed appropriation which would lay stress on expenditure of monies for tree fishing grounds and would provide for increases for game wardens.

The Commission, which has authority by constitutional amendment to fix its own regulations, has refused to accede to legislators' request that the Commission modify three of its rules.

The proposed appropriation bill, brought up today for reconsideration, got 59 favorable votes, 12 more than when it was blocked in the House last Thursday.

Speaker pro tem Charles Smith of Crittenden County who has presiding ruled that 75 votes would be necessary for passage.

A constitutional amendment adopted in 1934 requires with certain exceptions that appropriations in excess of 2.5 million dollars be adopted only by a 3/4 vote of each House.

Smith ruled that since the general appropriations bill calling for expenditure of 1.9 million dollars had been passed and the bill under consideration would appropriate 1.6 million dollars yearly a 3/4 vote would be required.

Rep. James R. Campbell of Garland County urged passage of the bill.

Rep. Paul Van Dalsom of Perry County said that the appropriation which his group would propose would call for a budget of about 1.3 million dollars yearly for the Game and Fish Commission.



TOLL DIALING FOR HOPE — New equipment is going in at the telephone central office here that will provide operation toll dialing from Hope to Arkansas and other points. The equipment, installed by the Bell System, will be in operation by the end of the month.

WEATHER FORECAST
ARKANSAS: Cloudy with occasional rain this afternoon, tonight, Wednesday. No important temperature changes.
Temperatures
High 53 Low 28

Cites Pressure From Russia as Great as Ever

WASHINGTON, (AP) Secretary of State Dulles was quoted as telling senators today that he sees nothing in the international picture to raise hope there can be dramatic outbursts in defense and foreign aid spending.

Pressure from Russia, he said, is as great as it ever has been and is expected to continue, "Dulles was reported as saying.

Dulles was called before a meeting of the Senate Banking Committee for a general discussion of the international situation in connection with the committee's study of the need for active and soundly economic controls.

With him was Arthur H. Hays Sulzberger, acting head of the "Office of Defense Mobilization O.D.M." and Harold Vance, president of the Student-Corporation and a consultant to O.D.M.

A senator, who sat in on the session but asked not to be named, said Dulles hedged about Russia.

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Clark Brands Germ War Tale Fantastic

By SAM SUMMERLIN
TOKYO (AP) — Clark Gable today blasted a new motion picture as "fantastic" and "utterly false charges" about germ warfare and angry about the Reds of extorting "concessions" from captured Americans.

The U. N. For East committee said in a statement the picture "probably have revived germ warfare charges to help their fight to cope with expected new epidemics in war-ravaged North Korea."

The blistering denunciation was inspired by renewed germ war propaganda by Red China's official radio, Sunday the radio spread its news propaganda drive and logged 8,000 words concerning the captured American pilot.

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Adults Asked to Select Subjects

A drive has been started by adult education committees of the Chamber of Commerce to select various subjects for a period of weeks to adult citizens of the area.

It is a non-profit scheme for the benefit of adults who want to take advantage of a chance to improve themselves through a sort of self-education.

Negro residents interested in higher education are urged to mail applications to the Chamber of Commerce.

A proposed list has been initiated and applicants are asked to select the subject in which they might be interested — among three subjects are: Typing, bookkeeping, public speaking, child growth and development, personally development for new people, Spanish, French, international affairs and home mechanics.

VOLE FOR THREE

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

Mail to: Chamber of Commerce

It has been estimated that about 7 per cent of the population variations can be assigned to one or more characteristics.

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SOCIETY

Phone 7-3431 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Calendar

Tuesday, February 24
The Cosmopolitan Club will meet Tuesday, February 24, at the home of Mrs. Virgil Keeley with Mrs. Kelly Bryant and Mrs. L. B. Tool as co-hostesses.

Chapter AE of PEO will meet Tuesday, February 24, at the home of Mrs. Walter Sims for a 1 o'clock luncheon. Mrs. G. S. R. Sharp of Little Rock, state PEO president, will be a guest.

The Jett B. Graves Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church will have their monthly potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Hollis Luck, East 2nd, Tuesday night. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock.

Thursday, February 26
The Ladies Bridge Luncheon will be held at the Hope Country Club Tuesday, February 26, at 12:30. Hostesses will be Mrs. John Hatley and Mrs. Charles Harrell.

The Friday Music Club will meet Tuesday 26 at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Jess Davis. Oakhaven Mrs. Oliver Adams will have charge of the program.

Friday, February 27
Brookwood Bruvnie Troop No. 2 will meet immediately after school Friday at the Little House under the direction of Kay Camp and Mrs. Denver Hornaday. Hostesses will be Jo Carolyn Lewis and Penny Roberts.

Saturday, February 28
The Melody Maids will meet in the home of Ginnane Graves Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Plans Completed for Home Pilgrimage and Tea
Plans have been completed for a Home Pilgrimage and Tea sponsored by the Hope Iris Garden Club to be held Tuesday, March 3, from 3 to 5 p.m.

Homes to be toured are: Mrs. L. Archer, Jr., 1118 East Third; Mrs. Roy Anderson, 810 South Main; Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 South Main; and the Trimble family home, Washington, Ark.

Hostesses for the tea to be held at the Trimble home are Miss Jess Trimble, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, and Mrs. J. W. Butler.

Tickets will go on sale Wednesday, February 25.

Mrs. Keeley Hostess to Circle 5 of WSCS
Mrs. V. D. Keeley was hostess of Circle 5 of WSCS of the First Methodist Church when it met for its regular meeting Monday, February 23, at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Sam Long, Mrs. Clifton Ellis, and Mrs. Raymond Peace were associate hostesses.

The meeting opened with a hymn, "Are Ye Able?" followed by prayer led by Mrs. Claude Miller, circle leader.

Five new members were welcomed into the circle. They were: Mrs. Fred Glanton, Mrs. Arlis Brooks, Mrs. Lee Bethel, Mrs. James C. Criss, and Mrs. Denver Jamison.

During the business session it was decided that the visitation program would be resumed and com-

SAENGER ★

TODAY

BROUGHT BACK!
BY POPULAR DEMAND

QUEEN of the WILD WEST SHOW!

BARBARA STANWYCK
Preston Foster

"ANNIE OAKLEY"

Wednesday & Thursday

HILARIOUSLY DEDICATED TO EVERYBODY WHO HAS A FRIEND

"My Wife's Best Friend"

JAMIE DAXTER
MACDONALD CARP
PATRICIA MASON

Hospital Notes

Branch
Admitted: James Stinson, Hope, Mrs. Foster Cannon, Saratoga, Miss Juliana Fenwick, Hope, Mr. Fred Garrett, Hope.

Discharged: Robert Seoney of Woodbury, New Jersey, Mrs. Jesse E. Brown, Jr., J. Hope, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robo of Hot Springs announce the arrival of a baby girl on February 23.

Julia Chester
Admitted: Mrs. Calvin Hare, Rt. 2, Hope, E. E. Moses, Texarkana, Texas, Mrs. Anna Church, Hope, J. J. Foster, Blevins.

Discharged: J. L. Brown, Rt. 2, Hope, O. H. Bristow, Fulton, Charles Wylie, Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hare, Rt. 2, Hope, announce the arrival of a son on February 21.

Recluse Dies with \$12,000 in Bank

CLINTON Investigation has revealed that a 63-year-old frugal living recluse, found dead in a mountain cabin near here, was a widely known author with a \$12,000 bank account.

Arthur Bowie Chrisman, who authorities said died of natural causes, is listed in "Who's Who in America" as a distinguished author of children's books a graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, movie extra, lecturer and school teacher from White Post, Va.

He was found dead in an isolated cabin north of here last Saturday.

Sheriff Farish Fraser said a search of the cabin indicated Chrisman had \$12,000 deposited in Arkansas and Virginia banks.

Residents here said the man has lived here about seven years and shunned all social activity, coming to town twice a week for groceries.

RIALTO ★

TODAY AND TOMORROW

"MY MAN AND I"
SHEILA MONTAGNA
MONTAGNA
MONTAGNA

WED.-THURS.

"We're Not Married"
PAUL ROBERTS
DOUGLAS
ALLEN
MORRIS

'Voice' Affairs

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believes it wiser to make a broad study of the information setup before giving a "yes" or "no" answer to Secretary of State Dulles' invitation to him to head the information service.

The service, now a part of the State Department, handles the controversial "Voice of America," which is under attack by the Senate Government Operations Committee, headed by Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.).

Asked for his reaction to McCarthy's probe, Johnson said: "I'm willing to give Sen. McCarthy the benefit of the doubt. I think he is trying to be helpful and maybe he'll dig up stuff that will be very important to us."

There have been reports that Dulles might want to make the information service independent of the State Department, perhaps with cabinet status.

Johnson said he didn't want to go into that matter now, but that he would certainly look into all possibilities in his month-long study.

Johnson, 58, came here from Philadelphia yesterday and conferred with Dulles at the State Department. Adles said at the time they understood Dulles had asked Johnson to take over as head of the IIA — the International Information Administration.

The Philadelphia educator for several years was national chairman of the Citizens Committee for the Hoover Report, a group backing reorganization proposals for the executive branch of the government.

Asked whether he actually had accepted the job as information service chief, Johnson said: "No, I haven't accepted it. But I said I would come down here to make a study of the situation and

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Tuesday

5:00 Sgt. Preston of the Yukon M

5:30 Sky King — M

5:55 Headline News — M

6:00 Supper Club

6:15 Evening News

6:25 Local Limelight

6:30 Gabriel Heatter — M

6:45 Newsreel

6:55 Titus Moody — M

7:00 Official Detective — M

7:30 John Steel Adventurer — M

8:00 Bobcat Basketball

9:30 Dance Orchestra — M

9:45 Freedom Story

10:00 KXAR News

10:15 Dialer Parade

10:55 Mutual News — M

11:00 Sign Off

Wednesday

5:57 Sign Off

6:00 Rhythm Round-up

6:15 News & Markets

6:30 Alarm Clock Club

7:00 Western Round-up

7:15 Alarm Clock Club

7:25 Morning Sports

7:30 Breakfast News

7:35 Calendar of Events

7:45 Morning Devotional

8:00 Robert Hurligh News — M

8:15 Anniversary Club

8:30 Musical Varieties

8:45 National Education

8:55 Gabriel Heatter — M

9:00 National Guard Show

9:15 Listen Ladies

9:30 Headline News — M

9:35 Organ Reflections

9:45 Strength For The Day

10:00 Ladies Fair — M

10:25 Headline News — M

10:30 Queen For A Day — M

11:00 Curt Massey Time — M

11:15 Capital Commentary — M

11:25 Music Box — M

11:30 Farm News

11:40 Church Calendar

11:45 Hymns of All Churches

12:00 KXAR Noon News

12:15 Western Hit-Parade

12:30 Know Your Bible

12:45 Blackwood Brothers

1:00 Bible Lesson

1:15 Music For You

1:25 Headline News — M

1:30 Mac McGuire Show — M

1:45 Nashville Hour

2:00 Cameo Lady — M

2:05 John B. Gambling — M

2:30 Western Matinee

2:45 Musical Spelling Bee

3:00 Jack Kirkwood Show — M

3:25 Arkansas News

3:30 Lazy-U-Ranch — M

4:00 Tops in Fogs

4:30 Country Boy

5:00 Song of the B-Bar-B — M

5:30 Wild Bill Hickok — M

5:55 Headline News — M

6:00 Supper Club

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7:00 Crime Files of Flamond M

7:30 Crime Fighters — M

8:00 Bill Henry News — M

8:05 Family Theater — M

8:30 On & Off The Record — M

9:00 Frank Edwards News — M

9:15 Elton Britt Show — M

9:30 Dance Orchestra — M

10:00 KXAR News

10:15 Flatter Parade

10:55 Mutual News — M

11:00 Sign Off

Court Docket

Municipal Court of Hope, Arkansas, February 23, 1953:

CITY DOCKET

Delbert Aaron, J. C. Williamson, Improper lights on car, Forfeited \$1 cash bond

Tommy Lively, No muffler on car, Forfeited \$5 cash bond

Willie Muldrow, Running "stop" sign, Forfeited \$5 cash bond

Lynn Norwood, Improper car license, Forfeited \$5 cash bond

Ross Waterson, Thurman Aaron, Illegal parking, Forfeited \$1 cash bond

Otis Edwards, No state car license, Forfeited \$5 cash bond

Floyd R. Cooper, No intrastate license, Forfeited \$25 cash bond

The following forfeited \$5 cash bond on a charge of No Driver's License:

Baker Butler, Ned Vail, Otis Edwards, Raymond Williamson, Henry Bradley, J. W. Adcock

Ralph Bullard, Illegal turn in street, Forfeited \$1 cash bond

Will Johnson, Thomas L. Brown, Running "stop" sign, Forfeited \$5 cash bond

Jencie B. Myers, Possessing unfixed intoxicating liquor, Forfeited \$100 cash bond

Toney LaGrone, Chester Spearman, Disturbing peace, Forfeited \$10 cash bond

George H. Hightower, Reckless driving, Forfeited \$25 cash bond

Willie Green, Lynn Norwood, Hazardous driving, Forfeited \$10 cash bond

The following forfeited \$5 cash bond on a charge of speeding:

J. C. Williamson, James Milligan, B. N. Burns, Charlie Hawthorne, B. N. Burns

The following forfeited \$10 cash bond on a charge of Drunkenness:

Fred Perry, Lawrence McFadden, James Morris, D. B. Russell, Laniet Waller, Governor Polindexter, Earl Thornton, C. Johnson, Madison Fisher

Mack McElroy, Booker Logan, James Kennedy, Drunkenness, plea guilty, fined \$10

Roy Davis, J. J. Kennedy, Driving while intoxicated, Plea guilty, fined \$25 and 1 day in jail

STATE DOCKET

Renzie Scott, Beating a board bill, Plea guilty, fined \$25

Eugene Polindexter, E. P. Duncan, Lee Etta Brown, No driver's license, Forfeited \$25 cash bond

The following forfeited \$10 cash bond on a charge of Overload:

Leon Chapman, Harold Grayson, N. W. Winstel, James Sewell, L. C. Williams, L. E. Duncan, Dean Miller, T. Kingery, Bill Brown

Joe Bowman, R. C. Robertson, Speeding, Forfeited \$5 cash bond

Thomas Allen, R. W. Duncan, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$10 cash bond

Floyd Coopwood, E. P. Duncan, Lee Etta Brown, Drunk while driving, Plea guilty, fined \$25 and 1 day in jail

Bonnie Ray, Drunk while driving, Tried, fined \$25 and 1 day in jail

I probably would take the job later on.

"I told the secretary I will do everything in my power to help the new Eisenhower administration," Johnson spoke up strongly for the "Voice of America," the State Department's propaganda radio, which tries to "sell" the U. S. out war of ideas. I think we very definitely want the Voice to continue," Johnson said.

Director of

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a war crimes trial.

Ailing when captured in 1943, his steadily declining health led to his release from a military hospital in which he was confined in Hamburg in May, 1949 and the subsequent British decision that he should not stand trial.

One of his last public appearances was made Oct. 9, 1952, when he attended the funeral of his wife, Louise.

His military career ended on May 1, 1945 when he was captured by American troops at Bad Tolz, Germany.

He said then that the Ardennes offensive—better known as the Battle of the Bulge—which handed the Allies their worst setback of the European invasion, was ordered personally by Hitler. He said he disagreed with its value and strategy and would not have ordered such a gamble himself without direct instructions from Hitler.

At the time of his capture Von Rundstedt was suffering from the effects of a heart attack.

He never regained his health.

Legislature at a Glance

By The Associated Press

HOUSE

Bills introduced:

HB 532 — Set up uniform divorce law to conform with those of other states.

HB 536 — Revise membership of State Livestock Sanitary Board.

HB 538 — Require owners to repair motor vehicles found unsafe by State Police.

HB 540 — Fix markup allowed retail dealers at 30 per cent for liquor and 50 per cent for wine.

HB 541 — Appropriate \$94,900 for construction at Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

HB 544 — Authorize Arkansas to participate in a proposed South Central Interstate Forest Fire Protection Compact.

HB 548 — Propose constitutional amendment for election of Game and Fish Commission.

Bills passed:

HB 400 — Make report from Welfare Department in adoption cases optional with chancellor rather than mandatory as now.

HB 524 — Make minor revisions in State Police pension plan.

Bills defeated:

HB 373 — Prohibit banks from requiring loan applicant to buy insurance from bank as condition of loan.

HB 492 — Permit owners of certain trucks to buy licenses for half-year.

HB 257 — Permit Workmen Compensation Appeals to be taken 'day in, day out'.

ing, Tried, fined \$25 and 1 day in jail

Nathaniel Mutt Sims, Disturbing peace, Forfeited \$10 cash bond

James Anderson Carter, Assault & Battery, Dismissed

A. P. Powell, Jr., Giving an overdraft, Dismissed

Calvin McFadden, False pretense Dismissed on payment cost, check paid.

J. E. Morrison, Failure to exercise due caution in passing school bus, Tried, found not guilty.

Gilbert Lafferty, Turning school bus without giving signal, Tried, found not guilty



STYLE NOTE—It might be a feathered bonnet for this year's Easter Parade, but it isn't. That lonesome eye belongs to a London zoo penguin who has nestled his head into his feathers before settling down for a nap.

DOROTHY DIX

Altar-Shy Male

Dear Miss Dix: A year ago I fell in love, and soon learned that my affection was returned. After many dates, we decided to share the same living quarters. At first, he talked of marriage, but during the last few months the subject has not been mentioned. I know he loves me, and I certainly would be unhappy without him — but I am unhappy now. Perhaps, if he really thought I contemplated leaving him, he would rush me to the altar, but I want him to do so of his own accord, not because of my pressure on my part.

KITTY K.

End Present Arrangement

Answer: Since the present arrangement is all pines-and-cream for the man, with no responsibilities rearing their ugly heads to mar his blissful Eden, why should he rush to put a halter around his neck? You spoil a man by giving him all the advantages of matrimony, with none of its worries or obligations, then expect him to surrender his freedom willingly! The minute a girl enters into an extra-marital relationship with a man, she waves goodbye to at least fifty per cent of her matrimonial chances.

If you want a wedding band, end your present living arrangements at once. Let him know that you want something more of life than the anomalous position you now hold, that you want a home and family headed by a legal Mr. and Mrs. Your man just needs a wee push in the right direction, but don't expect him to make a move without it. You provide the incentive; he'll get the license.

Dear Miss Dix: I am 10 and like

a boy 17. We often talk together but have never gone out. People who know us both say I shouldn't talk to him because he's not a nice boy. I think he is, although his background isn't too good.

TRUDY

Answer: You are too young to be the final judge of a boy's character, and I think it would be a good idea if you discussed the matter with your mother. The fact that the boy hasn't a good family background certainly shouldn't be held against him. If your mother is an understanding person, as I am sure she is, she can guide you in the friendship. And perhaps she will show you how to bring out the best in the young man. This is a touchy problem, since you could very easily be hurt if the Association is really true, but if the boy is misjudged, you could do a great deal of good in proving to the community that he has risen above the bad example of his family.

Dear Miss Dix: I am the worried mother of two children. My husband's affections have turned to a 13-year-old girl, with whom he has been having improper relations. What can I do? Would you lay the blame on me, the girl or my husband?

MRS. B.

Answer: Your husband is certainly the outstanding culprit in this sordid affair. The matter should be brought to the attention of the girl's parents or guardian, and if they fail to stop it, have the law step in. Your husband is guilty of contributing to the delinquency of a minor — a serious charge.

Dear Miss Dix: How can one turn one's husband back to God? He seems to think that because he has sinned there is no use bothering. I leave the Bible open at passages that I think will help him, but he doesn't read them.

MRS. M.M.

Answer: Your husband is spiritually ill, and since you wouldn't try to treat him for an acute physical illness, you must realize that he needs expert care for his spiritual ills. If he won't go to see your minister voluntarily, try to have the minister come to your house. No one is beyond God's help, but that simple truth is often very difficult to get across to people who need it most.

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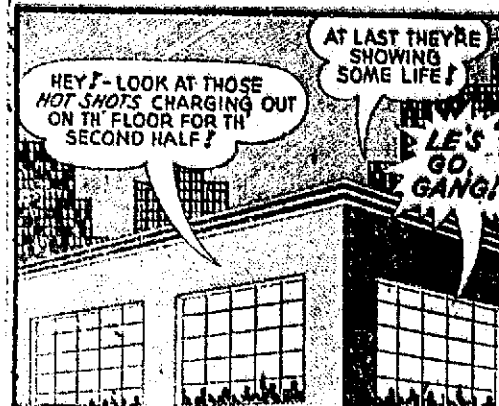
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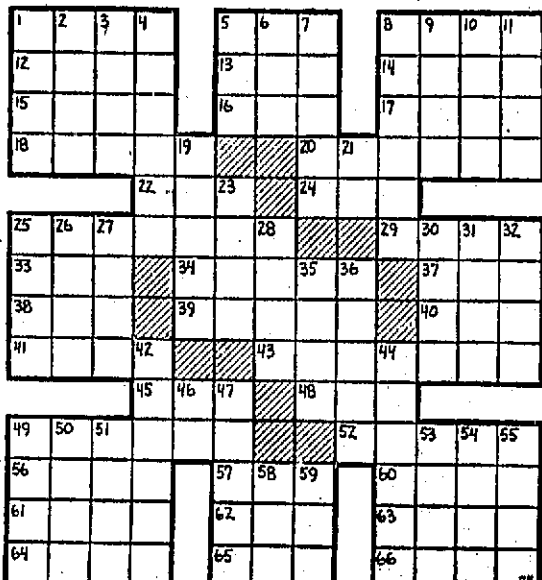
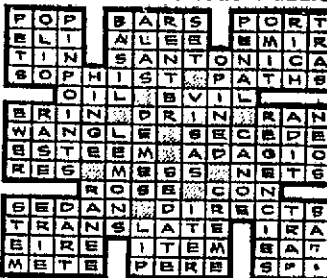


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On the Radio

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Radio performer, Elizabeth
 - 5 She appears on the waves
 - 8 She has performed on the Red Skelton
 - 12 Poker stake
 - 13 Female deer
 - 14 Solitude
 - 15 Greek portico
 - 16 Conclusion
 - 17 Malt drinks
 - 18 Verses
 - 20 Take into custody
 - 22 Eyes (Scott)
 - 24 Born
 - 25 Frighten
 - 29 Puts on
 - 33 Cooking utensil
 - 34 Eagle's nest
 - 37 Fish eggs
 - 38 Individual
 - 39 Redacts
 - 40 Peer Gynt's mother
 - 41 Canvas shelter
 - 43 Cuddled
 - 45 Dine
 - 48 Scottish sheepfold
 - 49 Remains erect
 - 52 Nautical
 - 56 Body part
 - 57 High card
 - 60 Curds of whey
 - 61 Sea eagle
 - 62 Decay
 - 63 Geraint's wife in Arthurian legend
- VERTICAL**
- 1 Grate
 - 2 Preposition
 - 3 Siouxan Indian
 - 4 Driver of a team
 - 5 Fruit drink
 - 6 Charged atom
 - 7 Fortification
 - 8 Alarmed
 - 9 Robust
 - 10 Mineral rocks
 - 11 Direction
 - 18 Bristles
 - 21 Musical note
 - 23 Winter vehicle
 - 25 Stain
 - 26 Musical quality
 - 27 Solar disk
 - 28 Ireland
 - 30 Verbal
 - 31 Proboscis
 - 32 Plant
 - 35 Roman road
 - 36 German city
 - 42 Offer
 - 44 Pesters
 - 46 Paid notice
 - 47 Russian rulers
 - 48 Cast off
 - 50 Edible rootstock
 - 51 Girl's name
 - 53 Aperture
 - 54 Operatic solo
 - 55 Gentlewoman
 - 58 Mine shaft hut
 - 59 Greek letter

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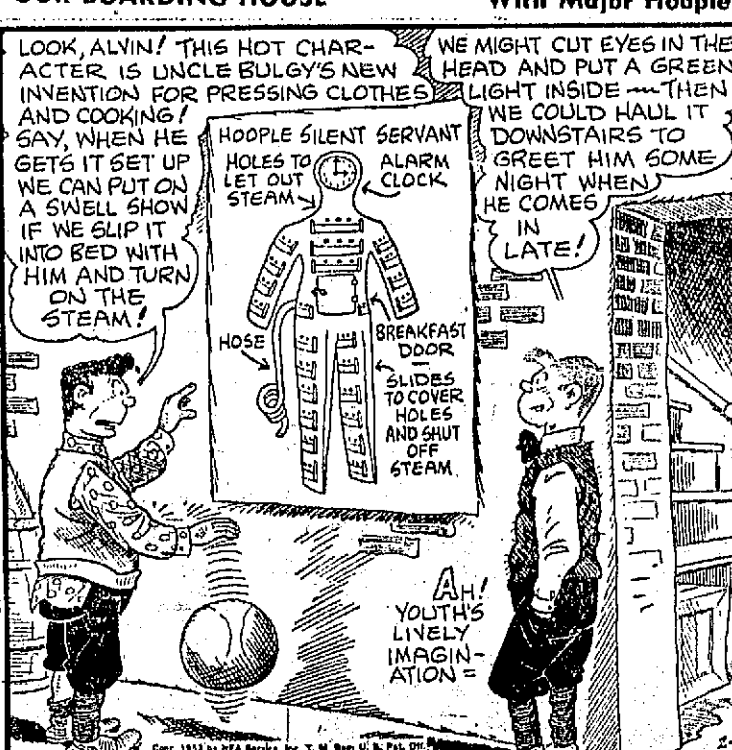
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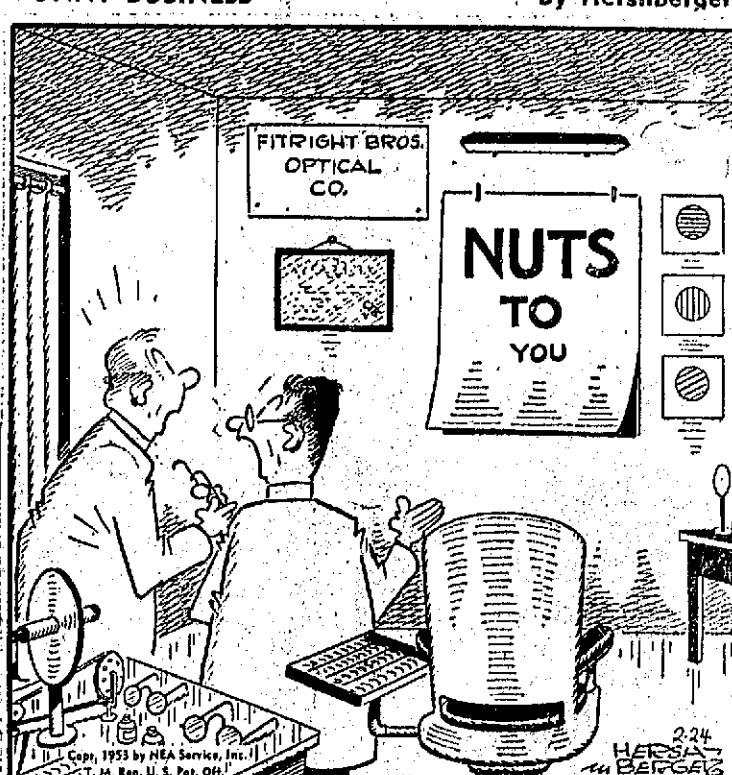
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With Major Hoople



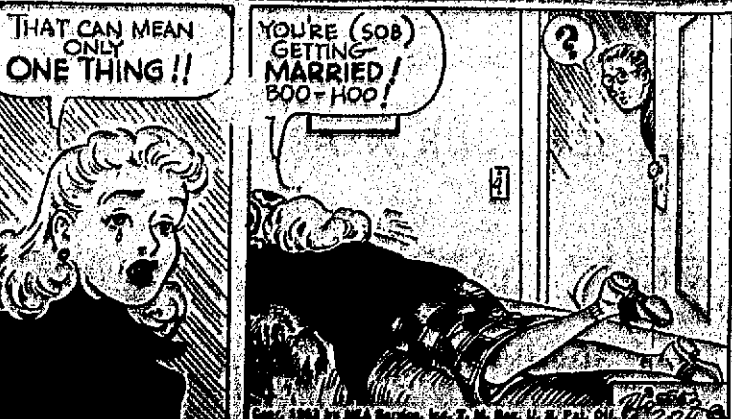
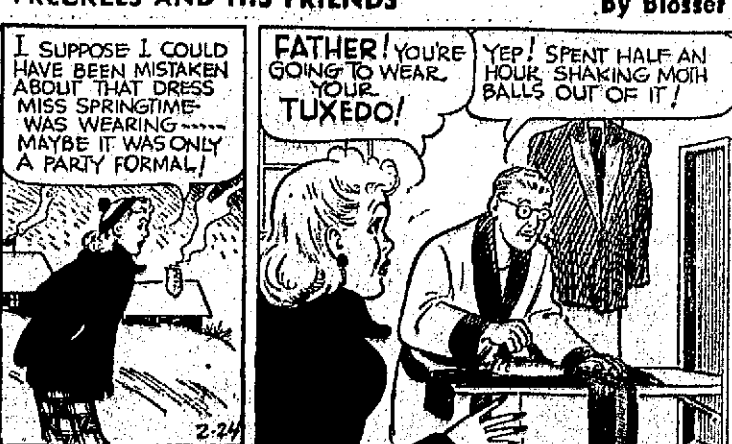
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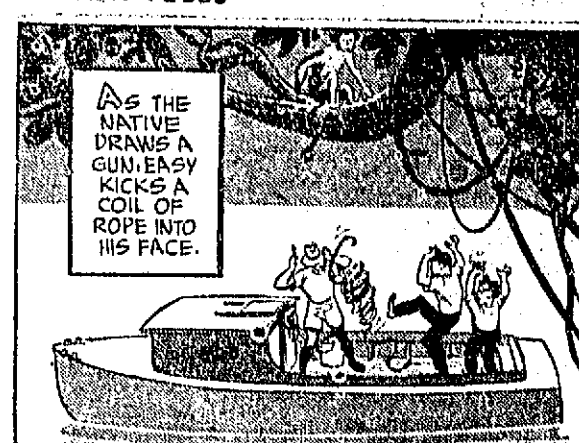


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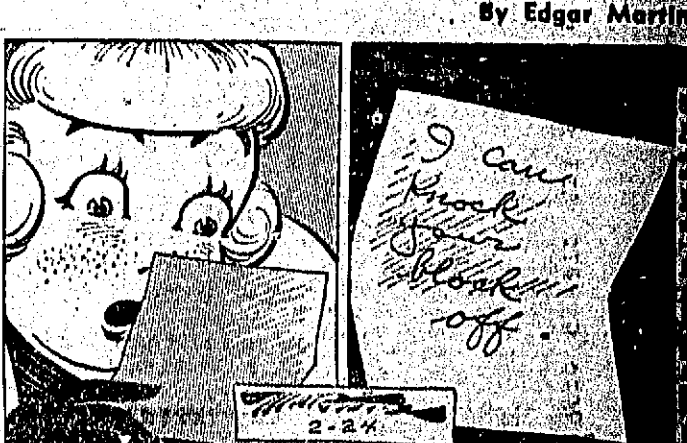
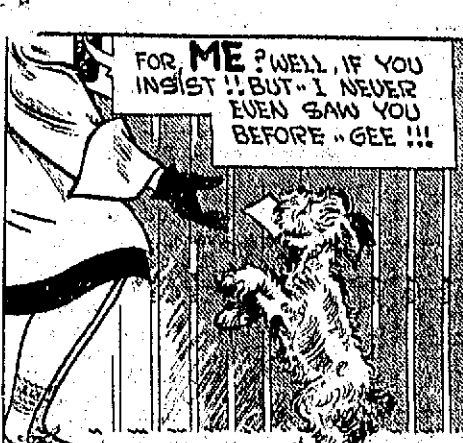
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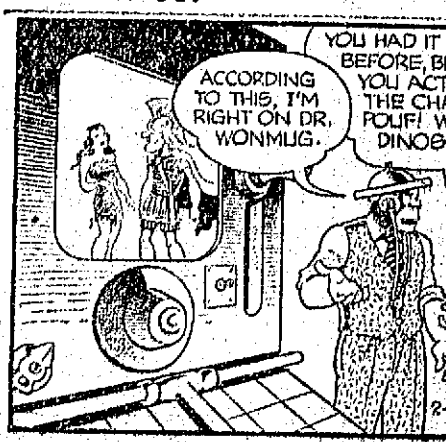


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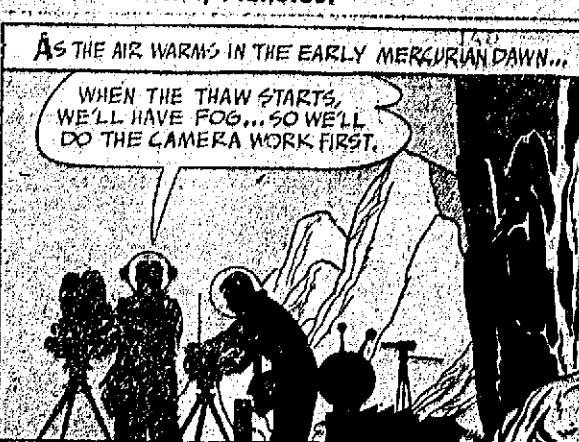
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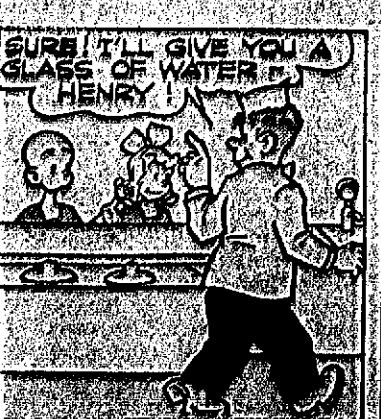
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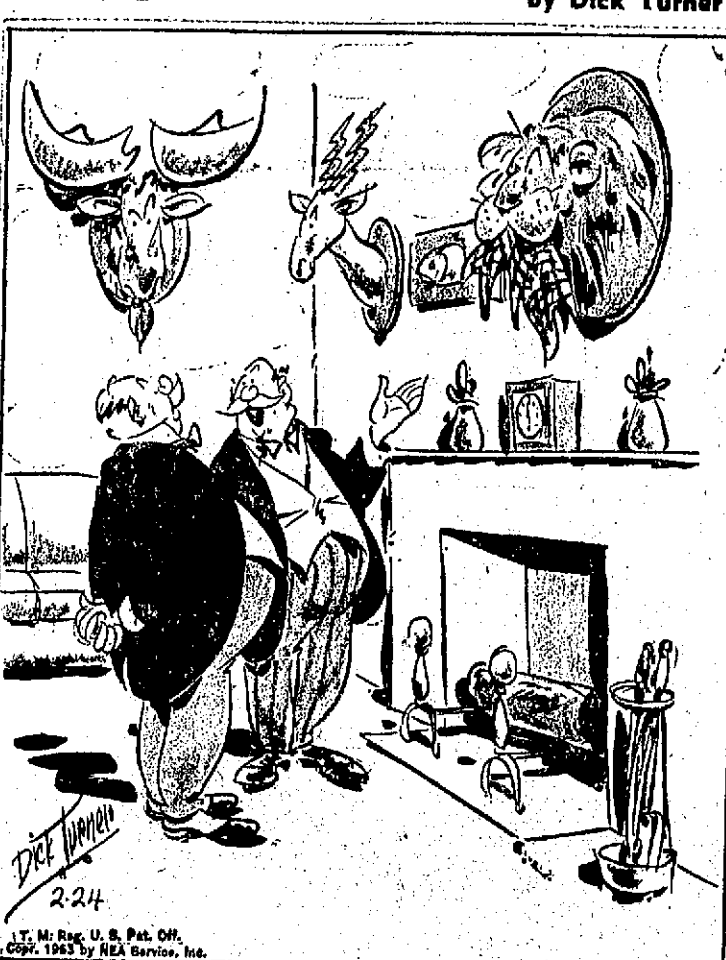
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